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### MEMORANDUM NO. 2010-102

**TO:** School District Superintendents  
WISE Coordinators

**FROM:** Laurel Ballard, Ph.D., Chief Information and Data Officer  
Director, Information Management Unit

**DATE:** May 7, 2010

**SUBJECT:** Wyoming Bridges Summer Student Data Collection

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### INFORMATION TO SHARE

The Department will begin this year to collect student Northwest Evaluation Assessment (NWEA) Measurement of Academic Performance (MAP) growth data used to analyze the effectiveness of summer programs funded through the Bridges grant. In the Bridges grant application this year, districts were asked about their ability to meet grant requirements to test students in spring and fall, and we are pleased that all but a few districts new to MAP are able to submit the required data beginning this year.

The collection of the MAP data from districts participating in the Bridges grant will occur on the WDE537 end of program report submitted to the Department October 1. Please anticipate collecting and submitting the following information on students *who completed* summer school this year (2010):

- Student WISER ID;
- Student First Name;
- Student Last Name;
- Student Date of Birth;
- Student MAP ID (If different from WISER ID);
- Summer School Subject completed – Math, Language Arts, Science,  
Social Studies, Other (will be able to indicate multiple subjects).

Thank you, and should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Ruth Sommers at 307-632-0157, Dianne Frazer at 307-777-8676, or Laurel Ballard at 307-777-7016.